rom the proceeds of the sale of which it is said a monument to General Washton will be erected in this city:

"The matter is in the hands of the Washington Monument Association, of Alexandria, Va., an association composed of a number of leading businessmen of that city, which is chartered under the laws of Virginia, their object being to erect a memorial monument to Washington, as a citizen, in his home town on the centenary of his death. The plan proposed is to erect a mooument upon a pedestal with a special design for each side thereof, showing Washington as he was known in that old historic city. Here in 1749 helped survey the town (the sequicenteanis) of which event was recently celebrated there). Here in 1749 helped survey the town (the sequicenteanis) of which event was recently celebrated there). Here in 1749 helped survey the town (the sequicenteanis) of which event was recently celebrated there). Here in 1749 helped survey the town (the sequicenteanis) of which event was recently celebrated there). Here in 1749 helped survey the town (the sequicenteanis) of which company here was a member of the Friendship Fire Company, to which company here was a member of Alexandria Lodge, No. 22, A., F. and A. M. This historic lodge, now known as Alexandria-Washington and the chair occupied by him as master is still used for that purpose. Almost in view of Alexandria lies Mount Vernoo, where Washington attended court, voted, visited, built his busicess office, transacted his large affairs and attended church, contributing largely toward the erection of old Christ Church, of which he was a vestryman. Here, too, he endowed a free school—Here, too, he endowed a free Church, of which he was a vestryman. Here, too, he endowed a free school-Church, of which he was a veeryman. Here, too, he endowed a free school—among the first in this country—which still continues as a monument to his patriotism. Every memory that clings around the Father of his Country is associated with this old city. It is not an unnatural sentiment that actuates these people in their desire to commemorate the memory of their greatest citizen as he was known among their tathers. While the city council and the people of Alexandria have responded liberally toward this fund and promise to do more, still the association, feeling unable to dojustice to the occasion and the man, with the funds at their command, applied to Congress, as shown by the bill as presented, to have struck at the mint a Washington memorial half dollar, and offered to defray all the expense of material and mintage, hoping to sell the same to coin cellectors at a premium.

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DIVORCE.—In the Corporation Court today Mrs. Isabella M. Johnson on the ground of desertion and non-support, and was allowed to resume her maiden name of Isabella M. Steel.

A BIG FURCHASE.—Councilman Henry Baader has purchased the entire stock of hardware of Mr. Robert of the country is to this city, where he will soon open a hardware establishment on King street, between Fairfax and Royal.

A MYSTERY.—Postoffice inspectors and others have identified the body of the man who was taken to Weshington from the Virginia Midland junction near this city on Saturday and who died Sanday at the Emergency Hospital as that of Charles Foulke, who was sent to the Albany penitentiary from that city in 1893 for safe-blowing. The second man, who gave his name as Howard, and says he is an iron worker from Cincinnati, is supposed by the inspectors to be James McCarthy, who went to Albany with Foulke. It is sus pected, the inspectors say, the two men belong to a safe-blowing gang that has been wrecking postoffices in Tennessee, North Carolina and Virginis. They were supposed to have been burt by a train at the Midland crossing above this city. The detectives and postoffice inspectors, however, advance a theory that Eculke mat his death while en spectors, however, advance a theory that Foulke met his death while engaged with four companions, in at-tempting to wreck a train late Friday night near the Virginia Midland crossing a short distance from this city.

EUCHRE PARTY.—Quite a large number of persons attended the progressive euchre party at the Young Men's Sodality Lyceum Hall last night, and a dality Lyceum Hall last night, and a very enjoyable evening was spent by all present. After the game a collation was served. The following won prizes: Ladies prizes—Box of bon bons, Mrs. Charles Baggett; steriling silver blower, Miss Mary Petiti; ink stand, Miss Elsie Ale; pair of slippers, Miss Constance Crump; brica-brac, Miss Mamie Breen; paper knife, Miss May Doimae; cracker jar, Mrs. T. F. McCarthy, and box of bon bons, Miss Annie Igoe Gentlemen's prizes: Writing case, Mr. Robert Wenzel; pair of ing case, Mr. Robert Wenzel; pair of gloves, Mr. Matthew J. Shuman; handsome pipe, Mr. John A. Lannon; pair of brace, Mr. John A. Nugent; cravat, Mr. R. M. Latham; cravat, Mr. Theo. V. Ale, and pipe, Mr. Brooke Carter.

Wednes lay, the beginning of the Lenten season The period of penance and fasting was usbered in by colemn service in the liturgical churches, according to announcement made yesterday. During the next 40 days there will be a cessation of schorate social facilities. cessation of elaborate social functions, and fasting, churchgoing, with the milder forms of social amusements, will take the place of the elaborate gaiety of the social season. More rigorous fasting is demanded on Ash Wednesday of those who observe Lent than is demanded on any day in the penitential season, except during the solemn holidays of Holy Week.

endurance of this old man, who was widely known and respected in this community. "Uncle Charles" (as he was usually affectionately called) was one of the old fashioned kind. Respectful and respected, always courteous and kindly. True to all his relations in life, honest and upright, he won and deserved a place in the hearts of all who knew him. "He that is faithful in a very little is faithful in much."

There is always danger in using the remedy that cures a cold in the re

The fishermen at Occoquan and other points on the river are getting their nets overboard and are preparing to resume fish-

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold. Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day, No Cure, no Pay. Price 25 cents.

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Like bad dollars, all counterfeits of De-Witt's Witch Hazal Salve are worthless. The original quickly cures piles, sores and all skin diseases.

QUALITY TELLS.—A full line of Fine Groceries for winter trade, at J. C. MILBURN'S.

ONE GROSS Tryphoss, Orange, Lemon Raspherry and Strawberry, just received diseases.

By J. C. MILBURN.

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MAJOR PERRY ELECTED .- The offi-MAJOR PERRY ELECTED.—The officers of the Saventieth Virginia Regiment met in Richmond today to elect a Lieutenant-Colonel to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Lieut.-Col. F. C. Scruggs. Major W. J. Perry, of Staunton, was elected.

Take LAXATIVE BEOMO QUININE TABLETS
All druggists refund the money if it falls to
oure E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each
box. 25c. TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

For the weakness and prestration following grippe there is nothing so prompt and effec-tive as One Minute Cough Cure. This prep-aration is highly endorsed as an unfailing remedy for all threat and lurg troubles and its early use prevents consumption. It was made to cure qui kly.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

'Tis now the good y maiden,
As Lent comes on, bewails,
Because within the shops there are
No exckeleth bargain rales.

Ro section bargain rates.

Stiff's wharf on the Potomac, in King George county, has been broken in two and a good deal of it swept away by ice.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Beverly D. Mankin, of Loudonn county, and Edith R. Nixon.

Mr. Lohn Clandyre, driver, for the Relief.

Mr. John Clapdore, driver for the Relief Track Company, today caught in the track house a three-legged mouse which he has on exhibition.

Much inconvenience is experienced by peo-ple living on south Fairfax street from the fact that the pump near the intersection of that thoroughfare with Franklin street is out of order.

The regalar meeting of the Police Commissioners to have been held tonight has been postponed on account of the absence from the city of one of the commissioners and the indisposition of acother.

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LENT BEGINS TODAY.—Today is Ash Vedues lay, the beginning of the Len-

&c., and quickly relieved their wants.

At 6:30 o'-lock yesterday evening fire gatted the two-gory frame house of Frank Lewis, a colored waiter, which was occupied by him and his family, at 316 north Pitt street. The olumbia engine was cut of service, but the Hydraulion resconded promptly, and plug streams from the Columbia company were also no do but without success. The loss will be \$400, and there was no insurance. A defective fine was responsible for the fire. Part of Lewis's household effects were saved.

THE BEST PUBLICITY MEDIUM -It is the opinion of Newspaperdom that no business man will complain that days of Holy Week.

DEATH OF "UNCLE CHARLES."—
Charles Weston, colored, died yesterday about Loou. His illness was of brief duration but pneumonia added to the weight of years was too much for the endurance of this old man, who was widely known and respected in this days the Chicago Naws.

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Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tableta the remedy that cures a cold in one day

There is always danger in using counterfeits of DeWitt's Witch Haz I Saive. The original is a safe and certain cure for piles. It is a soothing and healing asive for sores and all skin diseases.

CRANBEBRIES-One barrel choice Cranberries received today, Feb. 11, by
J. C. MILBURN.

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Mestre A. H. Oeblert, Worathiptul Mestre, Calebration, Prof. Rox Tyler, of Chicago, Vice-Mestre, Calebratic Mestre, Calebratic

with being drunk in the street, was lismissed.

A man, charged with being drunk in the street, was dismissed.

PERSONAL.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bowie, of Anne Arundel county, Md, are visiting Mrs. H. S. Wattles on Cambe street, was dismissed.

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A very enjoyable evening was spent
at a surprise party given to Miss Irene
Sterling, of Wasnington, at the residence of her cousin, Mrs Charles Hall,
428 south Lee street, last night. Music
was furnished by the favorite Mandolin
Club and there was singing by Messrs.
Briscoe, Jett, Pettit and Hancock.
Refreshments were served during the

Rev. Dr. W. E. Evans, of Richmond. will preach the sermon at the special Lenten service in Christ Church tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. A cordial wel-come is extended to all. Ushers will supplies. provide seats for ever one.

THE GLASS WORKS .- All the molds, pipes, layers, &... for the new glass works to be erected here soon by Mr. G.D. Hopkins et al., have arrived and are being stored in a warehouse on Union street. The plans for the struc-ture are now being drawn by an archi-

LECTURE.—A lecture on "Our New Navy," will be delivered by Mr. W. H. H. Smith, Chief Assistant Engineer, Bureau of Engineering and Construction, U. S. navy, with stereoptican illustrations, at Trinity M. E. Church, on Friday evening February 22.

THE WEATHER.—The comparatively mild weather of the past few days was followed last night by a brisk, cold northwest wind, which has continued throughout today. The mercury dropped to below the freezing point and some ice formed.

COLONEL MOSBY. - Colonel John 8. Mosby, the distinguished Confederate ranger, is in this city as the guest of his

son, Attorney John S. Mosby, jr.
In spite of bis 68 years and the fact
that he has led a strenuous life, Colonel
Mosby is hale and his step is as elastic
as it was in the '603. His mind is as robust and as active as ever, and when he can be induced to talk on things affecting his stirring past the listener is charmed. He is now one of the gen-eral counsel of the Southern Pacific Railway at San Francisco, having left Virginia for good at the expiration of his term as consul general to Hong Kong (to which office his warm friend President Grant appointed him during bis first term) Immediately after the war a close friendship between Grant and Mosby began, which ended only with the latter's death. Colone! Mosby is on his way to Virginia, where he will visit his daughters, still residing at the old home at Warrenton, in Fauquier county. Reports from Virginia say that his men, many of whom still reside in the State, are preparing to give their old commander a warm reception, as this is his first visit to the State in bout four years .- [Denver Times.

Pearls Found in Vermont. Everyone is talking about the "Grown Mountain Pearls." Did ov constipation, bad digestion, nausea full headache, dizziness and foul breath? There never was a pill sole which acted so quickly and gently and they don't gripe one bit. A fria is at we ask—we know what the re

sult will be. WARFIELD & HALL

WANTS. WANTED-A YOUNG MAN to work in W a bakery, One who has had some experience preferred.

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H. BLOCH,
318 King street.

WANTED—Will buy several small 6 or 7 noom low price RESIDENCES; prefer brick; must be bargains. Give de-scription, lo atlon, roat and lowest cash price to REAL ESTATE, care Gaz tte [feb18.34* WANTED—To buy or lease TEN ACRES
OF LAND in Alexandria county, near
W, A & Mt. V. By. Land must be suitable
for gardening ju poses. Addres B, this
office.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Alexandria, Vs., February 20, 1901
FRIDAY, February 22nd, being General
Washington's birthey - a legal holiday - this
bark will be closed.
feb20 31 CHAS, R. HOOFF, Pres.

Alexandria, Va., Feb. 20, 1901.

IN ORDER TO CLOSE AN ESTATE, we are authorized to effer for rale a \$1,000 CORPORATION OF AL. XANDEIA BOND.

M. B. HABLOW & C. V., feb. 20, 1901.

Feb. 24 119 S. Fairfax et.

OFFICE OF THE MERCAN FILE BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION—Friday, Feb. 22, being a legal boliday, this effice will be closed.

LEWIS HOOFF, feb. 20, 1901.

NO. 1 MACKEREL, and PRIME SCOTCH HERBING received Sept. 10, by J. C. MILRURN

GREEN GINGER and CLEANED CUR-RANTS just received by J. C. MILRUEN.

BOCK BEER.

PORTNER'S BOCK BEER

NOW ON SALE.

DRY GOODS.

LANSBURGH & BRO., Washington's Favorite Store

Replenish Your Stock of Sheets and Pillow Cases.

Special reduction made to give the housekeepers an opportunity of securing their

1 case of 42 inches wide Bleached Pil-80 low Case Muslin; worth 124c. Special. 25 pieces 1% yards wide New York 16° Mills Sheetir g; werth 20c. Special... 16° 20 pieces 2 yards wide New York 20° Mills Sheeting; worth 25c. Special. 200 dr z in 42 and 45 x 36 Pitlow Cases. 9c MESS 40 dezen Sheets, 11/2 yards wide by 330 30 dozen Sheets, 24 wide by 24.47

100 dozen Empire Sheets, same as Mo-hawk quality, for double beds. Spc-500 Free Daily Deliveries to Alexandria.

Lansburgh&Bro., 420 to 426 Seventh street,

WASHINGTON, D. C. FOUNTAIN PENS.

A \$10 Fountain Pen

Is used by but few.

If you want to see what a \$10 pen looks like we can show you

At the same time we can sell for \$1.50 and up.

We are headquarters for the famous LUCKY CURVE

PARKER **FOUNTAIN**

PEN.

The King of Peus.

Come in and let us show you how to make writing a pleasure when done with a Lucky Curve.

B. B. SMITH,

503-505 KING STREET,

Alexandria, Va.

FISH WHARF FOR BENT BY AUCTION At 12 o'clock m., on SATURDAY, March 2, 1901, in front of the Market Building on

2, 1901, in front of the Market Building on Royal street, the CORPORATION FISH WHARF will be rented for the ensuing twelve mouths. The sentor will be required to furnish material for and lay plat form sufficient to secommodate the trade. All passways must be kept open free from obstruction. The renter to erect no building within a less distance than 70 feet from the south front. No privilege for the sale of liquors will be granted inconsistent with the laws of the city on that subject.

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The renter will be required to remove the offst within 48 hours, and none of it shall be thrown into the river.

Possession will be given on the 2d of March, 1901

No bids will be considered unless the bidders shall be known or vouched for to the auctioneer as responsible.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

All articles landed on the wharf for the use of the city to be free from wharfage.

Terms: C.sh. payable immediately after the sale.

By order of the Jeint Committee on Public Property.

WM DESMOND.

feb20 td Chairman.

REEN GINGER and CLESNED CURRANTS just received by

J. C. MILBUEN.

FINE WINTER-CURED HAMS—Cox & goar cured Hams, small sizes, just received by

C. MILBUEN.

EVAPORATED CREAM in 1-lb, tins, just
Treceived and for sale by

J. C. MILBUEN.

GROCERIES.

Ramsay Sells the Best.

Cape Cod Cranberries

LARGE DARK

12 cts. a quart. G. WM. RAMSAY.

FANCY

MACKEREL

WHITE AND FAT.

G. WM. RAMSAY.

150 LBS.

VERY FINE

Received today, January 24.

Cleaned Currants

AT RAMSAY'S.

100 lbs.

Loudoun Co.

Honey,

In one-pound caps,

G. WM. RAMSAY.

HAVE YOU TRIED THE CELEBRATED New York Mill Pond:

> Oyster ON HALF-SHELL? -AT-

RAMMEL'S RESTAURANT

FRIED OYSTERS IN BOXES A

THE GRAPHIC GENTLEWOMAN.

Two of the best London illustrated papers, giving an account of Queen Victoria's life and death, have just arrived from England and are now on sale at my store.

A full line of COLYRIGHT AND PAPER NOVELS. WRITING PAPER in all tit to by the pound or lon.

R. E. Knight's, 621 King street, STATIONER & NEWSDEALER, DRY GOODS.

goods \$1.50, \$3.00 at \$2.00.

values.

DRY GOODS.

WORTH LOOKING AFTER AT THIS SEASON OF THE YEAR,

About 500 yards of 36-inch Percales, best 12tc goods. Styles carried from last season. Price now 7 le. Make excellent waists and wrappers. 1000 yards of 124 and 15c Lawns, Dimities and Mercerized Ginghams, ought to be cheap at 84c.

A few other bargains in Linens, Piques, &c. Prices almost one-third

A few short lengths in Mattings and Carpets will be sold very low. In Colored Mercerized Skirts \$1.25 goods 89c, \$1.50 goods \$1.00, \$2.50

A new line of Black Mercerized Skirts at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.90.

Examine these goods; they are up-to-date as to value and style.

If you want anything in Dress Goods examine our values in Cheviots at 50c; better grades at 75c and \$1.00.

Full lines of light colored Henriettas, goods for walts, &c. We have many little extra values in our silk stock very much under price.

In new soods we are showing complete lines of White Goods and Wash Goods. Unapproachable va'ues as to style and variety in fine Embroideries. Examine our match sets of Embroidery and compare

The best line of Staple Housefurnishing Goods, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels, ready to-wear Sheets and Pillow Cases. Our \$1.05 and \$1.15 White Spreads are far better values than ordinarily obtainable.

How about Mattings? Our new styles are in and the prices and patterns are right. Any Carpets needed? We keep a good stock all the time. We make a specialty of making up Rugs. One price. Bell 'phone 64.

English Walnuts TACKETT&MARSHALL

G. WM, RAMSAY. SWAN BROTHERS,

424-426 KING STREET.

Clearance Sale of Blankets, Com'orts, Men's Winter Underwear, I adies' Winter Undershow you many dozens that Reduced to 10 cts a lb. wear, Boys', Children's and Infants' Winter Underwear, Men's Wool Hose, Ladies' Wool Hose, adies' Wool Shirt Waists, Men's and Ladies' Flannelette Night B To effect a Clearance Sale of the above mentioned desirable Winter Me:chanfise, right in the midst of the coldest weather, we have made such reductions that means a saving to

you of 20 to 25 per cent, less than the regular prices.

Blankets.

WHILF, BED AND GRAY. The 75c Blankets reduced to.
The \$1.00 Blankets reduced to.
The \$1.39 Blankets reduced to.
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The \$2.98 Blankets reduced to.
The \$3.39 Blankets reduced to.
The \$3.89 Blankets reduced to.
The \$5.00 Blankets reduced to.

Comforts.

Men's Winter Underwear.

Ladies' Winter Underwear.

Children's Winter Underwear. Roys', Children's and Infants' Winter Under wear, including all grades, reduced to 20 per ent, less than regular prices

Men's Flannelette Night Robes Reduced. Men's Flanneletie Night Robes, neat patterns, well-made and finished, very comfortable

and warm for the cold weather.

Men's 50c Fiannelette Night Robes now.............

Men's \$1 00 Monarch Fiannelette Night Robes now. Ladies' Flannelette Night Robes Reduced.

Men's Wool Hose Reduced. We will close out all the Men's Wool Hose at a reduction of 20 per cent. less than regular prices. We have them in black, browns, grays, blues, and wool camel's hair. At present we have most all sizes.

The Men's 25c Wool Hose now 20c pair.

The Men's 15c Wool Hose now 12kc pair.

Ladies' Wool Hose Reduced.

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